Fund for teacher's training

+2676. SHRI BHAGAT SINGH KOSHYARI:
SHRI PRABHAT JHA:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that two years have elapsed since the allocation of funds for education and training to teachers in the Eleventh Five Year Plan, nothing has been spent out of it for the purpose;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the steps Government is going to take to improve the present situation?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI D. PURANDESWARI): (a) to (c) Under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Teacher Education, Central assistance is provided to the State Governments/UTs for various teacher education programmes and related activities undertaken by the State Councils of Educational Research & Training (SCERTs), Institutes of Advanced Studies in Education (IASEs), Colleges of Teacher Education (CTEs) and District Institute of Education & Training (DIETs). During 2007-08 and 2008-09, amount of expenditure incurred under the Scheme was Rs. 315.00 crore and Rs. 253.71 crore, respectively. It is the constant endeavour of the Government to provide resource support to these institutions for capacity building and extended coverage of their activities.

Govardhan Mehta Pay Review Committee

2677. SHRI NANDAMURI HARIKRISHNA:
SHRI M.V. MYSURA REDDY:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Govardhan Mehta Pay Review Committee which is looking into the pay package to faculty of IITs, NITs, IIMs, IISERs of the country has submitted its report;

(b) if so, the details of major recommendations made by the Committee;

(c) whether it is a fact that Government has still not implemented the report;

(d) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(e) by when Government is going to implement the report?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI D. PURANDESWARI): (a) Yes Sir.

(b) The recommendation regarding pay scales is given in the enclosed Statement (*See* below).

(c) to (e) The report of the Govardhan Mehta Committee was considered by an Inter-Ministerial Committee. The recommendations of the committee are under process.

+Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.